

## **211.270**

(ii) 252.211-7002, Availability for Examination of Specifications, Standards, Plans, Drawings, Data Item Descriptions, and Other Pertinent Documents.

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### **211.270 [Reserved]**

#### **211.271 Elimination of use of class I ozone-depleting substances.**

See subpart 223.8 for restrictions on contracting for ozone-depleting substances.

[70 FR 73150, Dec. 9, 2005]

#### **211.272 Alternate preservation, packaging, and packing.**

Use the provision at 252.211-7004, Alternate Preservation, Packaging, and Packing, in solicitations which include military preservation, packaging, or packing specifications when it is feasible to evaluate and award using commercial or industrial preservation, packaging, or packing.

#### **211.273 Substitutions for military or Federal specifications and standards.**

##### **211.273-1 Definition.**

*SPI process*, as used in this section, is defined in the clause at 252.211-7005, Substitutions for Military or Federal Specifications and Standards.

[62 FR 44224, Aug. 20, 1997]

##### **211.273-2 Policy.**

(a) Under the Single Process Initiative (SPI), DoD accepts SPI processes in lieu of specific military or Federal specifications or standards that specify a management or manufacturing process.

(b) DoD acceptance of an SPI process follows the decision of a Management Council, which includes representatives of the contractor, the Defense Contract Management Agency, the Defense Contract Audit Agency, and the military departments.

(c) In procurements of previously developed items, SPI processes that previously were accepted by the Management Council shall be considered valid replacements for military or Federal

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specifications or standards, absent a specific determination to the contrary.

[62 FR 44224, Aug. 20, 1997, as amended at 64 FR 14399, Mar. 25, 1999; 65 FR 52952, Aug. 31, 2000; 71 FR 27641, May 12, 2006]

##### **211.273-3 Procedures.**

Follow the procedures at PGI 211.273-3 for encouraging the use of SPI processes instead of military or Federal specifications and standards.

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##### **211.273-4 Contract clause.**

Use the clause at 252.211-7005, Substitutions for Military or Federal Specifications and Standards, in solicitations and contracts exceeding the micro-purchase threshold, when procuring previously developed items.

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#### **211.274 Item identification and valuation requirements.**

##### **211.274-1 General.**

Unique item identification and valuation is a system of marking and valuing items delivered to DoD that will enhance logistics, contracting, and financial business transactions supporting the United States and coalition troops. Through unique item identification policy, which capitalizes on leading practices and embraces open standards, DoD can—

(a) Achieve lower life-cycle cost of item management and improve life-cycle property management;

(b) Improve operational readiness;

(c) Provide reliable accountability of property and asset visibility throughout the life cycle; and

(d) Reduce the burden on the workforce through increased productivity and efficiency.

[70 FR 20836, Apr. 22, 2005]

##### **211.274-2 Policy for unique item identification.**

(a) It is DoD policy that DoD unique item identification, or a DoD recognized unique identification equivalent, is required for—

(1) All delivered items for which the Government's unit acquisition cost is \$5,000 or more;